I feel that the exclusion of radio, television, nonprofit groups, or any other group (yes, even the political parties or any other similar group) from adhering to these rules is a sham. I feel that if there is to be one list that excludes ONLY certain calls from the solicitors, there also should be a secondary list that pertains to these other groups that are excluded from the first list. I personally do not want any calls from ANY of these groups. I feel that ANY group wanting my time to answer any kind of questions or donate money should be paying me for my time, not asking for my donations/opinions. Aren't there other ways to perform surveys? It always seems someone is doing one at the malls?

My father donated once to one of these political groups, and for five years after, we found ourselves continuously answering calls from them looking for more handouts, long after my father had moved to another state. If I want to donate money, it seems to me theres a checkbox on my tax return for this! I drop change in the little box outside the fast food restaurants drive up window! I give of the things I have to others if I can, so that they may survive today's hard times. I believe in eliminating ALL groups from making these calls, we eliminate ANY chances of any fraud or other issues arising from them.

I believe ANY of these groups should resort to US Postal for there business(NOT EMAIL). The private individual has the choice to discard the mail without a second thought, or they can fill out the form allowing the specific group tied to the mailing to contact them by phone. This call could be arranged to occur at a predesignated time in the mailing from the SPECIFIC group, and ONLY for the ONE SPECIFIC reason the mailing was sent for permission to call.

This could possibly help rejuvenate the postal service and create jobs in other fields. People get there mail regardless, and unlike a phone call, is not something that is taking up an individuals time at the WRONG time of day.